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Full Closure of Roosevelt Road at the BNSF Tracks for Crossing Repairs

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that a full closure will take place on Roosevelt Road (Illinois 38) at the BNSF railroad tracks located west of Neltor Boulevard (Illinois 59), in West Chicago, beginning, weather permitting, Monday, May 1. The closure is necessary to repair a badly deteriorated at-grade crossing.

Beginning May 1, Roosevelt Road will be fully closed between Kirk Road and Neltor Boulevard (Illinois 59). A posted detour will direct eastbound Roosevelt Road traffic to go north on Kirk Road, east on North Avenue (Illinois 64) and south on Neltor Boulevard (Illinois 59) to meet back with Roosevelt Road. Westbound Roosevelt Road traffic will take the reverse route.

The full closure will be in place until Monday, May 8, weather permitting.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com

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